

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of : Esperester, Anke et al. ) Art Unit: 1655  
Serial No. : 10/743,170 ) Examiner: Leith, Patricia A.  
Confirmation No. : 7746  
Filed : December 22, 2003  
For : Film Coated Tablet Containing an Extract of Red Vine Leaves  
Docket No. : 1/1445

**VIA EFS**

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 26, 2008, please enter the following amendments and reconsider the application in view of the RCE, these amendments and the following remarks.

**Petition for extension of time** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.